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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
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In Re Application Of: **SMITS et al.**

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Application No. 09/600,732	Filing Date July 20, 2000	Examiner CHUNDURU, S.	Customer No. 27667	Group Art Unit 1637	Confirmation No. 8993
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Invention: **PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF CHICORY INULIN, HYDROLYSATES AND DERIVATIVES OF INULIN, AND IMPROVED CHICORY INULIN PRODUCTS, HYDROLYSATES AND DERIVATIVES**

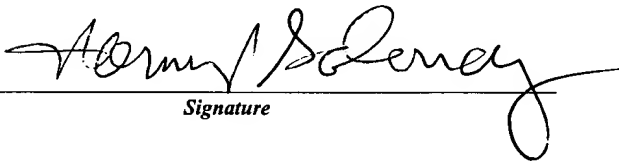
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